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Amendment/Response Resbumission

SIR:

In response to the Examiner's office action of February 4, 2008, Applicants respectfully present the following amendment to address the Examiner's action. Claims 5-6, 9-12, 14, 16-17, 19, 21 and 23-33 are cancelled *without prejudice* pursuant to the Examiner's restriction requirement and Applicant's election with traverse to prosecute the elected species and the invention of group I. The second of the two claims 22 is canceled in order to address the Examiner's rejection of this claim. New claim 34 replaces the canceled claim 22.

The originally filed claims are amended as follows. Claims 5-6, 9-12, 14, 16-17, 19, 21 and 23-33 are cancelled. Claims 34-44 and 46 are new and are directed to pharmaceutical compositions. Claim 45 is directed to the elected species compound.